

August 17, 1983

Mr. Tom Tetting
State of Utah
Natural Resources & Energy
Oil, Gas & Mining
4241 State Office Building
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114

Dear Mr. Tetting:



DIVISION 1

This letter is to let you know we have subleased the MiVida mining property to Rio Algom Corporation. I believe they intend to commence mining operations sometime in the last quarter of 1983.

If you come down this way, we would like to hear from you if you have time.

Very truly yours,

MINERALS WEST, INC.

Thomas M. Nielson

President